



Evening Programs & Town Events!

September 2016

Holland Happenings

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Weekly:

Texas Hold Em, Mon, 6 pm
Yoga, Weds, 5 pm
Pitch, Weds, 6:30 pm
Walking Club, Thurs, 4 pm
Stained Glass, Thurs, 6-9 pm
Billiard Room Open, M-Th. 6-9 pm

Monthly:

Friends of the HCC, Sept 7th, 5:30 pm
Cards Against Humanity, Sept 20th, 7 pm
Magic the Gathering, Sept. 27th, 6 pm

RENT THE CENTER FOR YOUR NEXT FAMILY EVENT!

LET'S HIT THE TRAIL!

The long wait is finally over. The new Walking Trail, funded by the Holland Trails Committee, is complete and already in use at The Center! Holland Highway Department did a great job; the surface is compacted and smooth. The trail is .2 miles long (5 times around is a mile) and forms a circuit, so that it is easy to count laps if you want to keep track of the distance you have walked or jogged. In the next few weeks a couple of granite benches, donated by the COA, will be installed, and a sign posted listing the distance of the trail. Once the sign is in place, the trail will be fully ADA compliant.

Paula Bak, The Center's Director, has scheduled a **Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for 6:30 pm on September 22nd**. Stop by then, or anytime, to enjoy a walk or jog on Holland's newest recreational asset. Bike to the Center if you'd like; a bicycle stand was recently installed as well. Please come to this festive event and, if you join the Walking Club, you will receive a free pedometer (compliments of the Holland COA and Holland Fire Department Safe for Seniors Grant. Call The Center at 245-3163 for more information.

MOVIE NIGHT – CIVIL WAR (PG-13)

September 23rd @ 7 pm

\$10/family, \$5/person, & \$3 for Seniors
Popcorn and Drinks Included



At The Holland Public Library

Sept 8th, 6-8 p.m.: **Honeybee Program and Honey Tasting**: Worcester County Bee Inspector Ken Warchol leads this narrated visual presentation.

You will travel right inside a beehive to better understand this mysterious social insect and the role it plays in humanity's survival on Earth. Learn about the challenges honeybees face in our environment, and find out how we can help perpetuate the survival of this most important insect that is essential to our own. Call the library for more info.

Sept. 12th, 1 pm: **Book Club** at the Community Center

Fridays 10 a.m.: **Story Time/Craft**
(date to start TBD, call or check facebook for more info).

Tuesdays, 3-5 p.m.: **Lego Club**

Ask-A-Librarian: By Appointment

TOWN EVENTS

HCC is closed for classes on Sept 8th, but open to **Voting in the State Primary**. The Friends of the Holland Seniors will host a bake sale at that time.

TLGV Mystery Member Meander, Friday, September 9th, 3 – 4 pm, Sturbridge, MA.

Meander along 2.5 miles of easy mostly flat woods trails, with a bit of hilly area, great for wildlife & birds. Strollers not appropriate. Leashed dogs are welcome. RSVP for secret location to marcy@tlgv.org

September 25th, 9 am - 4 pm. 2016 Massachusetts Outdoor Exposition, Rain or Shine, @ the Hamilton Rod & Gun Club in Sturbridge MA